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SUBJECT: DUTCH SUSPEND SELECTIVE INVESTMENT TAXES

PRIME MINISTER JOOP DEN UYL JULY 9 ANNOUNCED THE SUSPENSION OF INVESTMENT TAXES RETROACTIVELY TO JUNE 9, 1976. THE ROTTERDAM GOVERNMENT AND THE RHINE DELTA AUTHORITY HAVE URGED THE ELIMINATION OF THE LEVY BECAUSE OF ITS EFFECTS ON EMPLOYMENT IN THE REGION. THE LEVY WAS ESTABLISHED UNDER THE SELECTIVE INVESTMENT REGULATION (SIR) WHICH TOOK EFFECT OCTOBER 1, 1975. THE OBJECTIVES OF THE LEVY WERE TO REDUCE THE EXCESSIVE CONCENTRATION OF INDUSTRY IN THE WESTERN NETHERLANDS AND TO REDIRECT INVESTMENT TO LESSER DEVELOPED PARTS OF THE NETHERLANDS. THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS THE LICENSING AUTHORITY GRANTED UNDER THE SIR SUFFICIENT TO ACCOMPLISH ITS OBJECTIVES WITH FEWER NEGATIVE SIDE EFFECTS.

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